

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(Attorney Docket No. 08-349-WO-US)

PATENT

In re Application of:	Holtet <i>et al.</i>	)		
Serial No.:	10/533,290	)	Before the Examiner:	P. M. Mertz
Filed:	February 7, 2006	)	Group Art Unit:	1646
For:	Trimeric Binding Proteins for Trimeric Cytokines	)	Confirmation No.:	6045

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED MARCH 9, 2010**

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 9, 2010, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims:** Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, Applicants present a complete listing of the claims, including marked up versions of all currently amended claims, at pages 2-3.

**Remarks:** Applicants' Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.